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[General Secondary - Second Stage]

English النمـــوذج الثـــانى **time : 3 hours**

اللغة الأجنبية الأولى / الانجليزية

(الأسئلة في أربع صفحات)

A- Language Functions

1) Respond to the following situations:

a- You want to explain to someone why the word both in inverted commas is in the last sentences of "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde".

b- You are interviewing someone for a job. Find out about their qualifications and experience.

c- An interviewer has asked you why you have applied for a job in a particular company. Give reason.

d- You do not understand what distance learning is. Ask a friend.

2- Say the function and the speakers in the following:

1- A) Are you in your first year?

B) Yes. I'm studying English. but it's only my third week.

A) My parents would like me to apply here. Would you recommend it?

B) Yes, definitely.

Place :.........
Speaker A : ....
Speaker B: ....
Function: ....

2- A) Well, your application has been successful.

B) That's great when do I start? ,

A) At the beginning of next month. You'll be working at our Cairo branch.

B) I'm looking forward to starting.

Place :.........
Speaker A : ....
Speaker B: ....
Function: ....

B- Vocabulary and Structure

3) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d:

1- In some modern homes, water..........by energy from the sun.

a) are heated b) heat c) is heated d) is heating

2-I remember ...... him at the party last week.

a) meeting b) to meet c) meet d) meets

3- There's water all over the floor. Someone...to turn off the shower.

a) must forget b) must have forgotten

c) can't have forgotten d) can have forgotten

4- Her parents....have meetings with the teachers at her school.

a) totally b) gradually c) slowly d) regularly

5- She was deeply envious ...... my high marks.

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a) by b) with c) of d) from

6- At the weekend, my aunt asked me what I ....since we last met.

a) did b) was doing c) have done d) had been doing

7- After he graduated from the university, he specialized .... the digestive system diseases.

a) at b) on c) in d) about

8- He wanted to know whether anyone .... the book he was reading.

a) had seen b) has seen c) sees d)saw

9- When it is impossible for boats to pass up and .... the Thames?

a) below b) over c)down d) of

10- He has gained a huge ...... of weight recently as he doesn't exercise.

a) number b) rate c) amount d) sum

11-A new supermarket in our town was opened by a well-known....yesterday.

a) celebrity b) famous c) character d) somebody

12- I don't have a washing machine. I wish I .... one.

a) have b) am having c) had d) had had

13- I regret ...... that your son doesn't do well at school.

a) saying b) say c) to say d) said

14-Iceland is famous for it's ....

a) eclipses b) rays c) geysers d) waves

15-If you had come ten .... later, I would have left.

a) minute b) minutes c) minutes' d) minute's

16-Sorry, I forgot .... you yesterday as I promised.

a) to phone b) phoning c) phone d) have phoned

4) Find the mistakes, write the sentence correctly:

1- I wish I can read more quickly.

2- She asked her friend weather she had finished her homework.

3- My parents have invited one of my friends stay for the weekend.

4- When Wagdy was five years old, he was sting by a scorpion.

5- The wind usually blows in a southern direction.

6- These were risen over 60 metres up the cliff, where they were attached to a concrete base.

(C) Reading

5) Read the following passage, then answer the questions:

On June 16, 1963, Valentina Tereshkova became the first woman in space. She had been chosen from more than 400 others who applied. During her three-day flight, her rocket orbited the Earth 48 times. Valentina did tests on' herself to find out how the experience affected women's minds and bodies. She reported that she

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felt ill for most of the time she was in space. Valentina Tereshkova was born in 1'937 in the west of Russia. Her father worked as a tractor driver and her mother worked in a factory. She left school at the age of 16 and went to work in a factory. In her spare time, she enjoyed parachuting. After Valentina Tereshkova's space flight, it was 19 years before: another Russian woman was sent into space. Today, Valentina is still a hero in Russia.

A) Answer the following questions:

1- How many women wanted to travel in space when Valentina applied for the job?

2- What does the experience mean in how the experience affected women's minds and bodies?

3- What was Valentina's hobby as a young woman?

B) Choose the correct answer from a , b , c or d :

4- How old was Valentina when she went into space?

a) 16 b)19 c)26 d)48

5- How did Valentina feel while she was in space?

a) comfortable b) happy c) tired d) not well

6) Read the following passage, then answer the questions:

Ed Hannigan has a job which few people would want. Every week he falls off horses, he crashes cars and jumps from tall buildings. He has broken nearly every bone in his body and has been in hospital ten times. Ed works on films and television programmes, doing the dangerous things that make them exciting. His main work is to replace famous actors who don?t want to do dangerous things themselves. To do this kind of work, You need to be very fit has to be the same, height and weight as the actors he is replacing, and his hair and clothes also have to look exactly the same. Ed enjoys his work and does not worry About the danger "most thing I do are quite safe," he says.

A. Answer the following questions:

1- What kind of work does Ed do?

2- Why do famous actors not want to do dangerous things?

3- Why does Ed have to look like the actors he is replacing?

B- Choose the best answer from a,, b, c or d:

4- What does them refer to in the dangerous things that make them exciting?

a) the actors Ed replaces b) films and television programmes

c) the dangerous things d) the jobs Ed does

5- Which of these words describes' the work Ed does?

a) popular b) healthy c) dangerous d) boring

D) The Novel (the Prisoner of Zinda)

A) Answer the following questions:

1- Why couldn't Colonel Sapt and Fritz wake up the king the next morning in the

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hunting lodge?

2- The cakes that the king ate in the hunting lodge had a very bad effect on him. Explain.

3- Why was it difficult to bring a doctor to help the king?

4- It was clear that someone was trying to prevent the king from going to the coronation. Who was that person and why did he do that?

B) Read the following quotation, then answer the questions:

1- "Don't worry, Sir. I understand the problem. I'll leave Ruritania today."

a- Who said this to whom?

b- What was the problem the speaker was talking about?

c- What was the speaker going to do to solve the problem?

C) find the mistake in each of the following sentences and correct it:

1-Fritz felt so happy when he shook Marshal Strakencz's hand at the station.

2-Marshal Strakencz realised that Rudolf Rassendyll was not the king.

E- Writing

8) Write a paragraph about 100 words about:

" How life will be like in the future "

F- Translation

9- A. Translate into Arabic:

Lots of people admire Jules Verne. He was a French writer who was born in 1828 and died in 1905. He wrote many novels in which he introduced scientific technological marvels such as the submarine, space travel and television.

B. Translate into English:

١- انتهي عصر الظلم وبدا عصر جديد من الحرية و الديمقراطية بسبب ثورة ٢٥ يناير.

٢- أن الانتخابات في مصر هذا العام وضحت إننا بدأنا عصر جديد من الديمقراطية.

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